

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
AT CHATTANOOGA**

IVETTE T. ECHENIQUE,

Plaintiff,

v.

JJ'S FAMILY MART et al.,

Defendants.

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Case No. 1:25-cv-25

Judge Travis R. McDonough

Magistrate Judge Christopher H. Steger

ORDER

On December 11, 2024, Plaintiff filed this *pro se* action (Doc. 1) and an application for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* (Doc. 4). On May 20, 2025, United States Magistrate Judge Christopher H. Steger issued a report and recommendation, recommending the Court dismiss the complaint because the Court lacks subject matter jurisdiction and deny the application to proceed *in forma pauperis* as moot. (Doc. 15.) Plaintiff did not object to the report and recommendation.

After reviewing the record and the applicable law, the Court agrees with Magistrate Judge Steger's well-reasoned conclusions. Accordingly, the Court **ACCEPTS** and **ADOPTS** the report and recommendation (Doc. 15) pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1), and **ORDERS** that the action be **DISMISSED**.

AN APPROPRIATE JUDGMENT WILL ENTER.

/s/ Travis R. McDonough

**TRAVIS R. MCDONOUGH
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**